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PETITION TO REVIVE FOR FAILURE TO PAY THE ISSUE FEE
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.137(b)

Attention: Office of Petitions
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

A Notice of Allowance for this application was mailed on July 13, 2005. The Issue Fee for this application was due on October 13, 2005. However, applicants unintentionally delayed payment of the issue fee, and this application became abandoned on October 13, 2005. The undersigned attorney discovered that the issue fee had not been paid as a result of an unintentional error. Thus, the present Petition to Revive for Failure to Pay the Issue Fee Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) is now presented.

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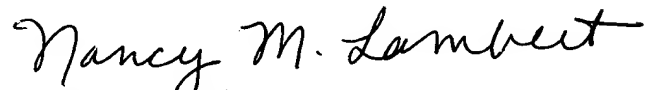
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Applicants hereby petition for revival of this unintentionally abandoned application. Authorization is hereby provided to charge Deposit Account No. 13-3723 with the following fees:

1. The Petition fee of \$1,500.00 due under 37 CFR 1.17(m);
2. The payment of the Issue Fee of \$1,400.00 due under 37 CFR 1.18(a) (form PTOL-85 enclosed);
3. The payment of the Publication Fee of \$300.00 due under 37 CFR 1.18(d) (form PTOL-85 enclosed); and
4. Advance order fee (4 copies) \$12.00 due under 37 CFR 1.19(a)(1) (form PTOL-85 enclosed).

It is respectfully submitted that the submission of the Issue Fee and the completed Patent Office form PTOL-85 constitute a complete response to the Notice of Allowance. Thus it is respectfully submitted that this application should proceed to publication. If any additional fee is necessary for this Petition to be properly and timely presented, such action is hereby requested and the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the appropriate fee to Deposit Account No. 13-3723.

Respectfully submitted,



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